

D2 piece 2 and the ~~silicon~~ silicone rubber layer of the attaching roller 31, and adhesive strength A between the adhesive surface of the adhesive tape piece 2 and the conveyor belt 12, as shown in Figs. 4B and 4C.

The paragraph starting at page 14, line 16 is amended as follows:

D3 The cut adhesive tape pieces 2 are put in alignment with their adhesive surfaces down on the conveyor belt 12 having a rough surface coated with ~~silicon~~ silicone. Thus, the adhesive tape pieces 2 are ready to be taken out one by one in the order from the forward end side of the conveyor belt 12 by means of an attaching roller 31 of an attaching unit 30.

The paragraph starting at page 14, line 22 is amended as follows:

D4 Since the conveyor belt 12 has a rough surface coated with ~~silicon~~ silicone, the paste surfaces of the adhesive tape pieces 2 are not bonded with the conveyor belt 12 even if the adhesive tape pieces 2 are in contact with the conveyor belt 12.

The paragraph starting at page 15, line 16 is amended as follows:

D5 Since the outer circumferential layer of the cylindrical attaching roller 31 is made of a ~~silicon~~ silicone rubber, the attaching roller 31 can easily cling to the adhesive tape by pressing the attaching roller 31 from the non-paste surface side of the adhesive tape piece made of elastic and soft resin.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

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1. (Currently Amended) A method for attaching an adhesive tape comprising the steps of:
disposing the adhesive tape having an adhesive surface on a support body with said adhesive surface down such that said adhesive surface is in contact with said support body;
rolling an attaching roller having adhesive strength on an opposite, non-adhesive surface of said adhesive tape so that said adhesive tape is transferred onto said attaching roller and is held in tight contact therewith; and
rolling said attaching roller on a curved surface of a member which is located in a predetermined position so that said adhesive tape adhered to said attaching roller is transferred to and attached onto the curved surface of said member,